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SUBJECT: SECRETARY'S SCHEDULE

1. THE SECRETARY'S SCHEDULE.

FRIDAY, NOVEMBER 26 - SUNDAY, NOVEMBER 28

ACAPULCO.

MONDAY, NOVEMBER 29

6:00 PM WHEELS UP ACAPULCO. FLYING TIME: 40 MINUTES.

NO TIME CHANGE.

6:40 PM ARRIVE MEXICO CITY INTERNATIONAL AIRPORT. MET AT

PLANESIDE BY AMBASSADOR JOVA AND FOREIGN MINISTRY

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6:45 PM BRIEF ARRIVAL STATEMENT. PHOTO OPPORTUNITY. NO

PRESS QUESTIONS.

6:50 PM PROCEED BY LIMOUSINE TO AMBASSADOR'S RESIDENCE.

7:20 PM ARRIVE AT RESIDENCE. PERSONAL TIME (70 MINUTES).

8:30 PM SUPPER AT THE HOME OF MIG 'EL ALEMAN.

REST OF EVENING FREE.

TUESDAY, NOVEMBER 30

BREAKFAST AT THE RESIDENCE.

COURTESY CALL ON PRESIDENT ECHEVERRIA HAS BEEN REQUESTED. NO RESPONSE YET.

10:45 AM MEETING WITH U.S. DELEGATION AT THE RESIDENCE (30 MINUTES). SECRETARY WILL GREET DELEGATION IN LIVING ROOM. COFFEE AND SWEET ROLLS WILL BE SERVED.

11:15 AM DEPART RESIDENCE FOR NATIONAL PALACE.

11:50 AM ARRIVE AT NATIONAL PALACE.

12:00 PRESENTATION OF LETTERS OF ACCREDITATION TO NOON PRESIDENT ECHEVERRIA AT NATIONAL PALACE AND GREETING OF OFFICIAL INVITEES. DARK SUIT. YOU WILL PRESENT A SINGLE LETTER OF ACCREDITATION ON BEHALF OF ENTIRE DELEGATION. U.S. PRESENTATION IS 19TH, RANKED IN ORDER OF PRECEDENCE OF ACCREDITED AMBASSADORS. ACCOMPANYING WILL BE JACK FORD, AMBASSADOR JOVA, SENATOR MANSFIELD, AND CONGRESSMAN ZABLOCKI.

1:00 PM DEPART NATIONAL PALACE FOR RESIDENCE.

1:30 PM ARRIVE AT RESIDENCE. PERSONAL TIME (30 MINUTES).

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2:00 PM BILATERAL DISCUSSION WITH COLOMBIAN FOREIGN MINISTER LIEVANO IN RESIDENCE LIBRARY.

2:30 PM LUNCH SERVED ON TERRACE TO YOU AND LIEVANO.

3:30 PM LUNCH ENDS.

(NOTE: EMBASSY REQUESTED BILATERAL WITH GARCIA ROBLES

FOR THE AFTERNOON, BUT THE FOREIGN SECRETARY PREFERENCES MON.)

4:00- EMBASSY RECOMMENDS A VISIT TO THE DIEGO RIVERA

6:00 PM MUSEUM, WHICH IS A PRIVATE COLLECTION OF RIVERA

PAINTINGS BELONGING TO THE WEALTHY AND "COLOR-

FUL" MRS. LOLA DE OLMEDO. THIS WOULD REPLACE A

TOUR OF THE ANTHROPOLOGY MUSEUM, WHICH YOU HAVE

SEEN AND WHICH IS CURRENTLY ON STRIKE. IF YOU

PREFER, THE DIRECTOR WILL OPEN THE ANTHROPOLOGY

MUSEUM ESPECIALLY FOR YOU. A THIRD ALTERNATIVE

IS A VISIT TO THE CARMEN CARRILLO GIL MUSEUM OF

ART, WHICH HAS A FINE COLLECTION OF OROZCO,

SIQUEIROS, RIVERA, PAALEN (SURREALISTIC), AND

GERZSO (ABSTRACT) PAINTINGS.

OPTIONS:

1. DIEGO RIVERA MUSEUM (DRIVING TIME 35 MINUTES

EACH WAY; 30-45 MINUTE TOUR).

YES NO

2. ANTHROPOLOGY MUSEUM (DRIVING TIME 15 MINUTES

FROM RESIDENCE; ONE-HOUR TOUR).

YES NO

3. CARMEN CARRILLO GIL MUSEUM (DRIVING TIME 40

MINUTES FROM RESIDENCE; 30-45 MINUTE TOUR).

YES NO

6:00 PM ARRIVE AT RESIDENCE FROM TOUR.

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PERSONAL TIME (ONE HOUR).

7:00 PM RECEPTION AT THE RESIDENCE FOR U.S. DELEGATION,

SPECIAL U.S. INVITEES, HEADS OF DELEGATIONS OF

KEY COUNTRIES, SELECTED MEXICAN GOVERNMENT OFFI-

CIALS, AND REPRESENTATIVES OF THE AMERICAN COM-

MUNITY. APPROXIMATELY 200 PEOPLE. NO RECEIVING

LINE. DRINKS AND HORS D'OEUVRES WILL BE SERVED.

- YOU WILL GIVE YOUR REMARKS WHEN ALL HAVE GATHER-
ED.

8:45 PM DEPART RESIDENCE FOR LOPEZ PORTILLO HOME.

9:15 PM SUPPER GIVEN BY PRESIDENT-ELECT AND MRS. LOPEZ

PORTILLO FOR A SMALL GROUP, INCLUDING YOU AND

MRS. KISSINGER, MRS. CARTER, THE JOVAS AND MR.
PAUL AUSTIN OF COCA-COLA.

(NOTE: PRESIDENT-ELECT LOPEZ PORTILLO SEES THIS AS OFFERING AN OPPORTUNITY FOR YOU TO HAVE A PRIVATE DISCUSSION WITH HIM, IN LIEU OF A MORE FORMAL BILATERAL MEETING. HE APPRECIATES YOUR COURTESY IN OFFERING TO CALL ON HIM.)

12:00 RETURN TO RESIDENCE.
MIDNIGHT

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 1

BREAKFAST AT THE RESIDENCE.

10:15 AM DEPART RESIDENCE FOR NATIONAL AUDITORIUM.

10:30 AM ARRIVE AT NATIONAL AUDITORIUM. U.S. DELEGATION
- ASSEMBLES, ENTERS THE AUDITORIUM TOGETHER, AND
TAKES THEIR SEATS. MRS. CARTER SEATED SEPARATELY.

ALTERNATIVELY, THE EMBASSY RECOMMENDS THE DELEGATION ASSEMBLE AT THE RESIDENCE AND PROCEED FROM THERE ALL TOGETHER. COFFEE WOULD BE SERVED AT 9:30 AT THE RESIDENCE. THE EMBASSY ARGUES THAT
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THIS WOULD BE A MORE IMPRESSIVE DISPLAY OF U.S.
INTEREST IN THE INAUGURATION AND THE NEW GOVERNMENT.

ALTERNATIVES:

1. THAT YOU LEAVE INDEPENDENTLY AND MEET THE

YES NO

2. THAT YOU AND THE DELEGATION DEPART THE RESIDENCE TOGETHER FOR THE AUDITORIUM.

YES NO

11:00 AM OATH OF OFFICE (DURATION LIKELY TO BE 1 1/2 - 2 HOURS).

1:00 PM DEPART AUDITORIUM FOR RESIDENCE. PERSONAL TIME (30 MINUTES).

1:45 PM DEPART RESIDENCE FOR ITALIAN AMBASSADOR'S RESI-

DENCE.

2:00 PM LUNCH HOSTED BY ITALIAN AMBASSADOR MARRAS.

GUESTS INCLUDE YOU, MRS. KISSINGER, HEAD OF ITALIAN DELEGATION FANFANI, FRENCH MINISTER OF JUSTICE JEAN LE CANUET, SENATOR AND MRS. MANSFIELD, THE SHLAUDEMANS, THE JOVAS, AND MR. AND MRS. ROGERS.

4:00 PM DEPART FOR EMBASSY RESIDENCE.

PERSONAL TIME (ONE HOUR).

5:00 PM BILATERAL WITH EGYPTIAN MINISTER OF STATE FOR FOREIGN AFFAIRS MUHAMMED RIYAD. (THE DEPARTMENT WILL CONTACT RIYAD IN NEW YORK TO CONFIRM THE APPOINTMENT.) DURATION: 30 MINUTES.

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PERSONAL TIME.

9:00 PM YOU AND MRS. KISSINGER HAVE BEEN INVITED TO ATTEND A DINNER GIVEN BY MRS. LOPEZ PORTILLO AT - CHAPULTEPEC CASTLE. MRS. CARTER HAS ALSO BEEN INVITED AND HAS ACCEPTED. WE UNDERSTAND THE NEW MEXICAN FOREIGN MINISTER WILL ATTEND.

ACCEPT DECLINE

(NOTE: THIS REPLACES PLANS FOR A PRIVATE DINNER AT A MEXICO CITY RESTAURANT AND THE BALLET FOLKLORICO. WE HAVE SINCE LEARNED THAT THE RESTAURANTS IN MEXICO CITY WILL BE CLOSED THAT EVENING.)

11:30 PM RETURN TO RESIDENCE.

THURSDAY, DECEMBER 2

9:00 AM DO YOU STILL WISH US TO ARRANGE A BREAKFAST WITH THE NEW MEXICAN FOREIGN MINISTER IF YOU WILL BE MEETING HIM AT THE WEDNESDAY EVENING DINNER?

YES NO

PERSONAL TIME.

12:15 PM DEPART RESIDENCE FOR NATIONAL PALACE.

12:50 PM ARRIVE NATIONAL PALACE.

1:00 PM PRESENTATION OF DELEGATIONS, DIPLOMATIC CORPS
- AND SPECIAL GUESTS TO PRESIDENT AND MRS. LOPEZ
- PORTILLO. DRESS: DARK BUSINESS SUIT.

2:00 PM LUNCHEON HOSTED BY PRESIDENT AND MRS. LOPEZ
PORTILLO IN COURTYARD OF NATIONAL PALACE.

4:00 PM DEPART PALACE FOR AIRPORT.

4:30 PM ARRIVE AT AIRPORT. BRIEF DEPARTURE STATEMENT.
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4:45 PM WHEELS UP MEXICO CITY. DC-9 (MAXIMUM NUMBER OF
PASSENGERS: 25). FLYING TIME: 1:15. NO
TIME CHANGE.

6:00 PM ARRIVE BROWNSVILLE, TEXAS. REFUEL: 45 MINUTES.

6:45 PM WHEELS UP BROWNSVILLE. FLYING TIME: 2:15.
ONE-HOUR TIME CHANGE.

10:00 PM ARRIVE ALBANY, GEORGIA MUNICIPAL AIRPORT. TURN-
AROUND TIME: 30 MINUTES.

10:30 PM WHEELS UP ALBANY. FLYING TIME: 1:25. NO TIME
CHANGE.

11:55 PM ARRIVE ANDREWS AFB.

2. WHEN I HAVE ANSWERS FROM YOU ON THE QUESTIONS RAISED
ABOVE I WILL TURN THIS INTO AN ILLUSTRATIVE SCHEDULE
FOR MEXICO CITY. ROBINSON

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